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In re Application of

Richard C. WALKER

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For: ELECTRICALLY CONTROLLED AUTOMATED DEVICES TO OPERATE,

SLOW, GUIDE, STOP AND SECURE, EQUIPMENT AND MACHINERY FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONTROLLING THEIR UNSAFE, UNATTENDED,

UNAUTHORIZED, UNLAWFUL HAZARDOUS AND/OR LEGAL USE, WITH

REMOTE CONTROL AND ACCOUNTABILITY WORLDWIDE

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